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Attorney General John Ashcroft US Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenuc, NW Washington, DC 20530-0001

Dear Mr Ashcroft:

Isn't it time we begin to focus on issues other than those raised by competitors of one company, Microsoft, which is universally recognized for major technological advancements? Microsoft has been harassed by the likes of Oracle and Sun Microsystems over an extended period of time, strictly in their interests

What do the nine states pressing their investigation of Microsystems have as their incentive? It seems strictly political to me and. I believe, to others

How about spending that political energy on strengthening our national technological capability through support of companies like Microsoft?

Respectfully Submitted,

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cc: Senator Rick Santorum